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Opening







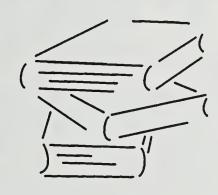


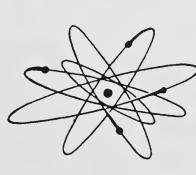
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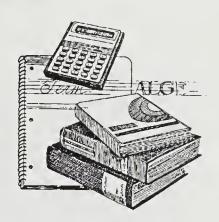
FACING

FACE









THE YEAR

- ... Schedules
- ... New Teachers
- ... New Subjects
- ... Football Practice
- ... School Clothes
- ... Cheering Practice
- . . . Studying
- ... Games
- ... Tests
- ... Homework
- . . . H-E-L-P!

Just another day. Arshylle Kenney, Toya Thompson, and Coretta Meredith begin the day with a gabfest.

We're ba-ack! Summer's gone, its time to face reality. We've gotta go back to school.



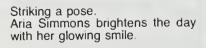
Only a dollar ten? Philip Burkett has no problem parting with his money.







Where did you get your hair done? These seniors show off their beautiful new do's

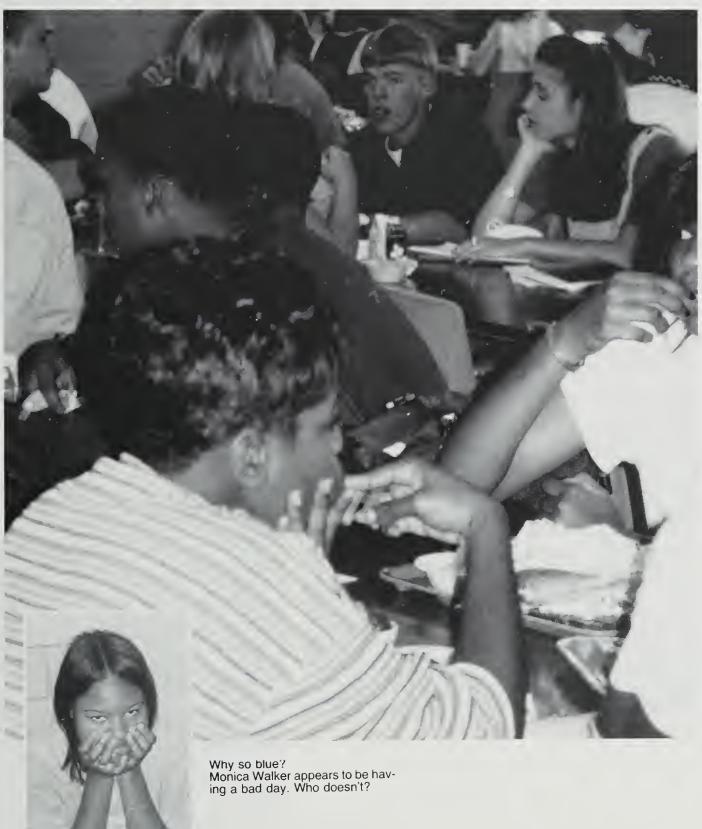






A DAY IN THE LIFE — An average student spends 5 hours working after school.

ACING REALITY





HEY, THAT'S MINE! Antoine Taylor fights for the right t wear his "Tims". Shona Woodley Tiffany Whitfield, Kim Jackso really disagree.

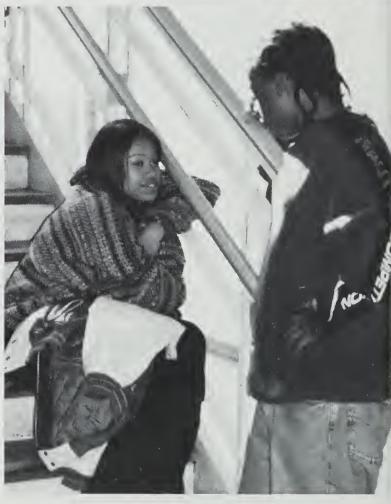
Whether it's having fun "play wrestling" or having some sweet conversation. There is always something exciting going on at BSHS!





THE UN-COUPLE Monique Murphy and Wesley Stith sure look like a couple. But they're not, are they?

THE EYES HAVE IT "Look me in the eyes and say that again." Monica Walker and Larry Thompson have a "heart to heart" during lunch.



Student Life



ONE GIANT BITE Keisha Smith devours her juicy burger.

MINOR ADJUSTMENTS Aaron Queen watches as Melissa Howerton "straightens it out." before class.







FIRST HAND

"I come in peace", Dan Tanner gives the signal for the fun to begin at lunch time.

TAYING ALIVE! STAYING LIVE! natima Seward gives these other isco divas" lessons on how to do e hustle.

Student Life



Three Friends.
These three students, Melissa
Thomas, Monica Smith, and April
Baker find time in their busy schedule to talk about the latest



Time For Class.
It is 1:40 and lunch just let out.
These students, and Ms. UlmerParker, are heading back to class.

No Loitering.Luckily the halls of BSHS allow "hangin' around." Jermaine Davis, Trishaun Murphy, Jamie Hargrove, and Tom Sain demonstrate this rather well.







HANG TIME

Its Time For A Break.

Seniors Jennifer Stancil and Katherine Gibson enjoy the time they have away from class.
The Student
Lounge provides
a haven for snacks, laughter, and a chance to do last night's homework.



Lay Back And Relax.

Andrea Hawkins, Jeanette Thompson, LaKeisha Smith, and Trina Turner eat their lunch in com-

Ring...Ring...
Shona Woodley brings her home habits to school. Talking on the phone is a great way to spend your time.

"So-o-o much to talk about!" Kristy Simms and Joan Callis discuss what happened today.

"Let's go!" Zubaidah Bassett cranks up her car and gets ready to



Antonio Edmonds cruises the strip after the football game.







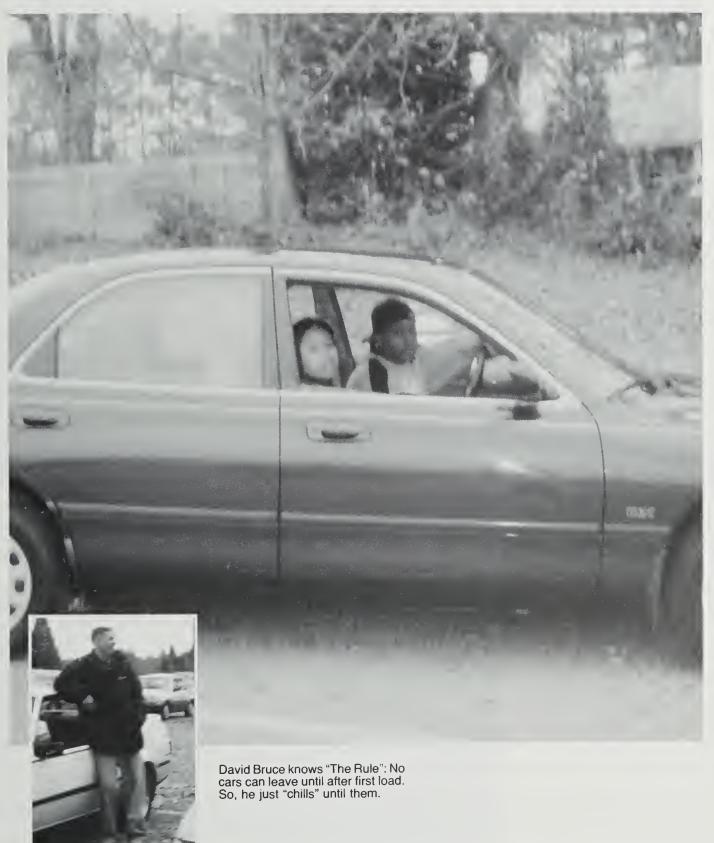
"Who's riding with me?", Where to go after school was always a pop-ular topic with students.

Can Sylvinia Jones and Shauntae Wheeler decide which hot spot to hit after school.



Life Begins at 3:20", — Monica Walker

FF THE BUS AND IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT.



Student Life





Student Life

Walls play a vital part in any school. They support, they inform, they contain.



And You Might See ...







Let's Get Ready To Rumble Battle for the Bone

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM AT HALFCOURT Varsity gets pumped up for the big

BULLDOGS REPRESENT Laura Pond and Shemecka Hicks represent their classes in the basketball relay.







JAM SESSION Juniors Tinisha Scott and Demon Rhodes taking it step by step.

IT'S YOUR TURN
Kyla Coleman concentrates on spinning while Gary Jackson, La-Faythia Wyche, and George Easter wait for their turn at "bat".

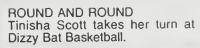






HE SO-O-OUL TRAIN ieniors show their moves at the ep rally.

IT'S ALL IN THE WRIST . . . Says Kyla Coleman as she shoots for the stars.



SENIORS REPRESENT The Bulldogs show their school spirit.





ONE, TWO, BUCKLE MY SHOE Maria Holmes finishes the last touch up on her shoes. Holly Pair, Katherine Sanford and Kelly Sasser wait eagerly to show off their gowns.

BUM OF THE YEAR Mrs. Browder poses for BUM Illustrated.









A FEW GOOD MEN (OR WOMEN)
Ms. Burchett and Gary Jackson are being all they can be.

AUNT MABLE AND HER CAT Eishayah Crayton and Melor Jones model their costumes d ing Homecoming Week.

D.R.E.A.M.

Dogs Rule Everything Around Me

DMECOMING COURT
keisha Rainey, Holly Pair — Homeming Princess, Angela Edmonds,
stin Tyler, Maria Holmes — Homeming Queen, Tim Mays — Mr.
illdog, Nichole Gross, and Amanda
ackson. Not pictured: Tasha
awlings, Rashida Carroll, Kim Jackun, Clint Campbell, and Kelly Sasser.

'INNING SMILE oments after being crowned Homeoming Queen 1997-98, Maria displays e smile that won her the crown.







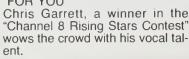
BACK TO THE 70'S Superfly, Pam Grier, and Shaft. Not really; that's just Seniors Jeff Jones, Erica Singleton, and Tim Mays expressing themselves.

MEN IN BLACK (AND BLUE) Arthur Goodrich, Edward Ahr, Kelvin Ragsdale, and Marlon Hanks: Cool of Blacks the Women In Black?



"FOR YOU" Chris Garrett, a winner in the

MINNIE GOES TO SCHOOL She's on the loose from Disney World. Tate Leemon goes for the "cheese."







What was your favorite thing about Homecoming?

"The pep rally because we got to compete against the underclassmen and show off our school spirit." Starr Bland

"We did different activities throughout the whole week." Bobby Mangrum

"The whole week." Timothy Walker

"Seeing the girls dressed up on "Dressed to Impress Day." Antonio Edmonds



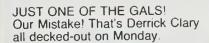


ARE YOU RELAXED ENOUGH? Demetrice Jarrett "models" the typical style on "Laid Back and Re laxed Day."





FARMER JOHN AND BOZO lames Walker and Robin Davis vent all out on Costume Day.



PEACE MAN! Eric Clary captures the spirit of the 70's with his hippie outfit.





What was your least favorite thing about Homecoming?

"The football team lost the game. It wasn't as fun as it was last year." Anthony Vaughan

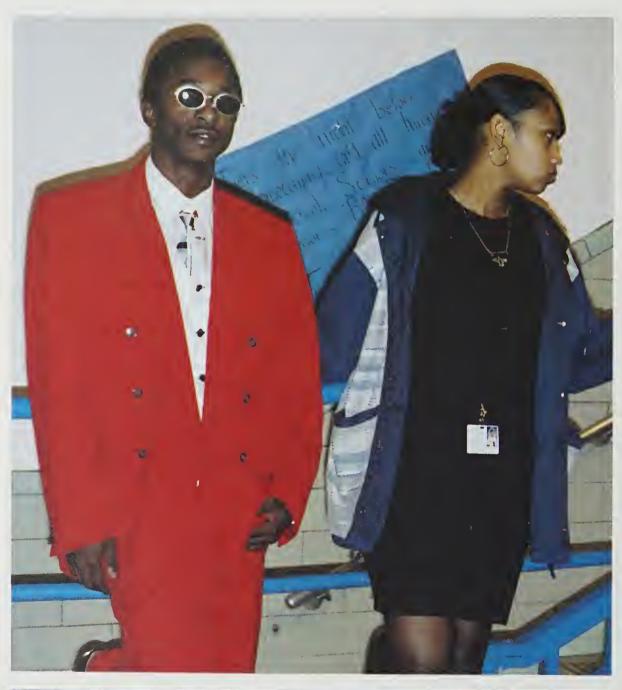
"They were acting too childish at the Pep Rally." Antonio Edmonds

"No Homecoming Dance." Isaiah Crayton

"At the Homecoming Pageant, Seniors didn't get to sit with their class." Jennifer Holloway

Show Your Spirit

Students expressing themselves . . .



JUST CHILLIN'
Tim Walker (in his flashy red su
and Tashena Hicks are rea
dressed to impress.

EXCUSE ME, MR. CAPONE Chad Whitlow shows everybo he's "The Boss."







HERE THEY ARE . . . The Women in Black show us the smooth moves.



THE FINAL TOUCHES Bulldog Spirit Shines Through

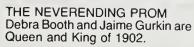


"UHH-HUH, I HEAR YA GIRL" Sylvinia Jones, Shauntae Whee-ler, and Rena Stewart discuss the latest gossip over lunch.

GHOSTS, GHOULS, AND GOB-LINS_ Beth Frazier displays her costume for Halloween with a smile.







WHERE'S MY MONEY? Nikki Gross and her crew argue with "Pimp Daddy", Jeff Jones, about who owes who!



THE REAL WORLD Mrs. Browder prepares these students for life on the informa-tion super-highway.

SWING, BATTER-BATTER

Gym students regularly participate in physical activities that help keep them in shape.







BOOT CAMP

This math teacher, Mr. Barnes, takes the physical approach to mathematics.

CUT IT OUT
Fusing is a part of the Welding program. Michael Townsend carefully demonstrates this skill to his fellow classmates.





REALITY









ACADEMICS

- ... 100 questions on Scantron forms
- ... 8 semester tests
- ... 64 pages in driver's ed manual
- ... 57 National Honor Society members
- ... 13 Governor's School students
- ... 428 odd answers in algebra book
- ... 54 homework days each quarter
- ... 36 Sunday homework nights yearly
- ... 4 foreign language options
- . . . 48 teachers: 2 counselors

ARTISTIC/ATHLETIC

Face to Face With Two Opposite Talents.

Keith Shearon is proud of his ability that enabled him to create this beautiful scene.

Robert Brown is concentrating on keeping a steady hand.











In gym class, students are able to explore a variety of sports.

"I love art class because it enables me to use my imagination and creativity to the fullest." — Holly Pair







Above all gym sports, basketball ranks as the most liked, with the least favorite being running.

Who says gym's not fun? These girls find time to chill in an unlikely place.

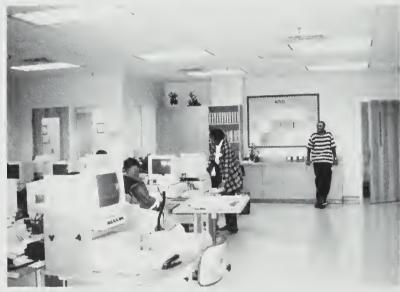


Kiss The Cooks Katherine Gibson, Debra Booth, and Shannon McElroy slice and dice as they prepare a feast for the palate.



Smart, Beautiful and Greasy.
"A girl's gotta do what a girl's gotta do" is Katharine Samford's motto. She proves that women can be gorgeous, intelligent, and handy with a wrench.







Professionalism, Courtesy and Punctuality.

Mrs. McGeachy prepares her class for the real world of business and work.

Drafting 1 on 1!

Mrs. Gordon teaches her students the precise art of drawing blue prints and what it takes to become a good architect.



Cutting Edge
Charles Smith cuts squares and holes in Mr. Raney's Welding Class and hopes that "the rod" doesn't go through.



cademics



Every 3,000 miles
The long life of your car depends on the engine. This student makes sure that you have a happy and healthy car.

An Unusual Sight

Joseph Green changes spark plugs, for the first and only time says teacher Mr. George, while DiQuentin Brown sweeps just to be seen.



REAL WORLD EXPERIENCES

Vocational/Technical courses are designed to initiate students into the work world.

he Old-Fashioned Way Shawn McCain uses pencil and paper, rather than a calculator in Mrs. Winfield's class, to get the answer.



On-the-job training is the best teacher. Thanks to Voc-Tech classes, a large portion of the graduating class will be "job-ready" as soon as they receive their diplomas. On the average day, a student could learn to change his own oil, cook dinner for 12, type his resume', build a CD tower, and draw-up plans for his new dream home.

Let's Take A Closer Look At The Governor's School For Global Economics And Technology Students . . .

Our Classmates At GSGET.

In their morning environment: Many of these students wake up by 6:00 am., or even earlier. Class starts at 7:40 and is FINALLY over at 11:10. From there, they travel to their home school:

Greensville, Park View, Nottoway, and Brunswick High School. GSGET is a place where rivals join as one.



Dr. Kristine Samaria, the Environmental Science, Economics and Chemistry teacher, always has her hands full. Stress can be a major tactor for students and teachers.

Jefferson Jones and Zubaidah Bassett are two of the BSHS seniors who attend GSGET. These are "model" students for their looks and academics.





There are two sides to every story. Michael Evans seems to breeze right through while Jimmy Hicks has to think twice.

Chris Smiley teaches Precalculus and Calculas. He's a good teacher, but his exams are a dreadful thought.







These two senior Governor's School students are enjoying the great outdoors. Erin Randolph and Will Dennis find nature at Saint Paul's.

GSGET is a school for technology. Philip Burkett demonstrates how math and computer technology can co-exist.

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CHILD CARE I/II

Rest Time

Sakisa Walker will need a nap just as much as the kids when she's done with her energetic little ones.





Strictly Speaking
These pint-sized people are carrying on quite a conversation with
Theresa Wilson and Kim Graves.

Sing A Song Singing and dancing really gets the kids going. What is really happen-ing, though, is motor and social development.







Art and Crafts

This little lady shows Shauntae Alexander a few of her artistic abili-

Where's the fire?

Jessica Jones assists a future firefighter with "directions" to the fire.



Academics

Grey Squirrels, Musical Chairs, Pizza Hut

We're trying to give the students hands-on experience with child care. The parents work on employability skills while their children learn social skills.

The most challenging thing was to get the children to talk to us. But once they got to know us, they'd come in and hug us.

When Skye came, she was very attached to her mom and would cry when she left . . . I talked to her and assured her.

They wouldn't listen to me at first. They thought I was a little girl. Now, they listen to me.

Mrs. Rebecca Jones

Tabitha Green

Jessica Jones

Sakisa Walker







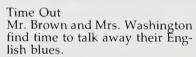
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Gotta Make That Deadline. Kenyatta Rook races against time to get her research paper finished. Avery Lewis isn't worried. He must have already finished.

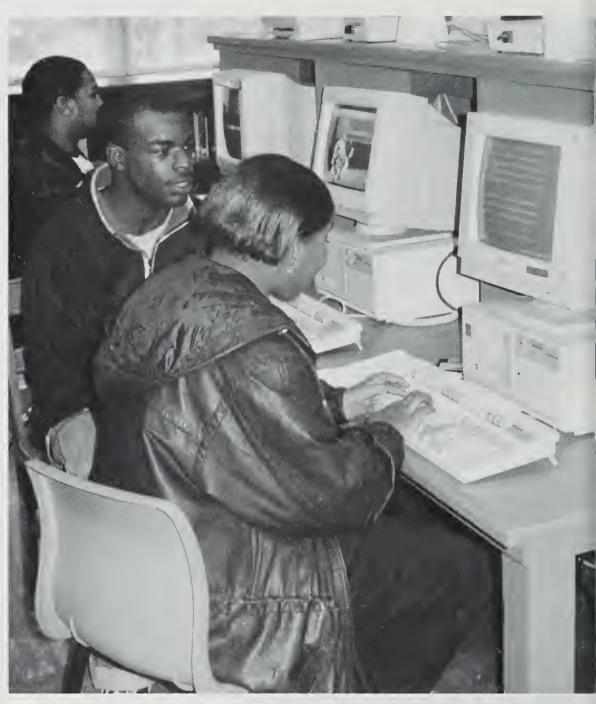
Make Me Laugh Finding other ways to relieve stress, Mr. Leemon and LaFonta Coleman play "Simon Says."







Cram Jam Miss Green's students get an explanation of the judicial review process.





"A Government by the people . . ." Mrs. Parrish's government class is a place to ponder all aspects of government — old and new.





Surprised Yet? Wait until Bobby Mangrum sees the grade he has earned in Mrs. Thomas' class. He will be shocked, or will he?

Please No Work! Marcus Lee wishes silently that Ms. Peebles doesn't hand out any



Top 10

A Little R & R

What was a good way to relieve stress?



"My head starts hurting, so I go in my room and go to sleep." Lakeisha Smith



"I go somewhere and think about what is getting me down, that usually helps." Marvin Brown

- 1. Pray
- 2. Meditate
- 3. Sleep
- 4. Cry
- 5. Stress

Balls

- 6. Radio
- 7. Be Alone
- 8. Write

Poems

- 9. Exercise
- 10. Scream



"I go upstairs and start a fight with whoever is around me." Cedric Macklin



"I take a nap or just listen to the radio, that relieves everything when I am stressed out." Scott Gordon

Math/Science

Biology is in your everyday life and it's all around you. — Stephanie Neal

Problem Solved
James Walker knew the
answer and how he
arrived at it. That means
he must really understand



Embryological stages, dissection, formulas, protons, electrons, neutrons, exponents, inequalities, variables, linear equations, ratios. In Matland Science classes these otherwise "foreign terms are placed in a practical context so the students related them to life outside the class room. Isn't that what a real-world education should do?



Front and Center

Mr. Barnes always made it look so simple. But looks can be deceiving — just ask Charles Whitlow.

$E = MC^2$

Mrs. Hicks explained it and if you watched and listened closely you might have gotten it... then again maybe not. It's not like Math is an exact science! Oh, wait. Yes it is!!!



New Kid on the Science Block Mrs. Wilson is a new addition to the faculty this year. Her students say she makes biology interesting and fun.



Academics



COLLABORATION IS THE KEY Mr. Graves, also new to the BSHS faculty this year, promotes the collaborative approach to chemistry. Jermaine Tucker, Shannon Elder, Demond Rhodes, and LaTanya Evans show that working together does get the job done better, faster and more efficiently.

SAY THAT AGAIN Kenneth Hayes and Nathan Patillo watch and listen as Mr. Crane goes over the example one more time.







BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Robert McPhaul is entranced by Mr. Wynn's demonstration. Brandon Clary, Kevin Crayton, Tia Seward, and Lauren Jones just try to take it

SOL'S AND ANGLES

The topic of discussion in Mrs. Durham's class was end-of-course testing and measuring right angles. "We do all kinds of stuff...

properties, line segments, rays
..." — Shanika Simmons/2nd
Bell.

FRENCH CUISINE — C'est delicieux

Les specialties du jour

Les grenouilles
Les Crepes du fromage et du
jambon
Du pain
Les ceries jubilees
Le Cidre Mousseux

Shhhh . . .
Not while I'm cooking!
Kelvin Ragsdale concentrates really hard on slicing the crusts off the bread to accompany his French meal.





Hey look at me! Jeremiah Perry does his share of the work for the French feast.

Have some! Vincent Sallie and Arthur Goodrich offer up some tasty frog legs. Word has it that they taste a lot like chicken. C'est doubtful.

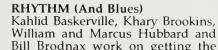


Looky, Looky I Can Cooky! Katrina Davis, Shara Miller, and Eishaya Crayton show their joie de vivre as they prepare crepes.





WE BE JAM'N The band gets down at the Friday night football game.

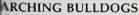


Bill Brodnax work on getting the groove right on the table top before they do it for real. Mr. Baugh thinks they just may have it.





GETTING IT RIGHT Tori Steed, Brittany Roberts, and Whitney Macklin get ready before the big band competition.



nt Row: Morenika Richards, Valerie Mayo; Second Row: Courtney Clary, Darryl Davis, Michael naefer, Ben Denton, Marcus Hubbard, William Hubbard, Kenneth Johnson, Jonathan Walker; and Row: Daniel McCabe, Chad Richards, Matt Hand, Tared Schmidt, Kyia Smith, Francesca alker, Lindsay Painter, Precious Dugger, Juanita Jackskon, April King, Meredith Sapienzo, Marcie ce, Miranda Clarke, Brittany Studley, Tori Steed, Brittany Robets, Tanika Walker, Whitney Macklin, m Williams, Nicole Seward, Natoya Easter, Tracey Alston, Chris Garrett, George Seward, Angela pung, Robert Spruill; Flag Corps: Vanise White, Natasha White, Miranda Doxtater, Cathy Mayton, ha Stotesbury, Shawanda Adams, Patrice Clayton, Sophia Mitchell, Kenina Johnson



BEST ALL AROUND
Robin Davis
Shannon Bacon

BEST DRESSED Tim Mays Maria Holmes





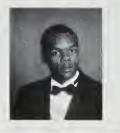
SUPERLATIVE

SENIORS

CLASS CLOWNS



Nakia Alford



Shannon Bacon



BEST SMILE Erin Randolph James Hargrove



Seniors



MOST ATHLETIC Lafaythia Wyche Antney Dugger

BEST COUPLE Monica Walker Larry Thompson





QUIETESTKaren Capps
Kendrick Scott



MOST TALKATIVE
Tiffany Whitfield
Lewis Rainey



BEST PERSONALITY

Denita Powell

Shannon Bacon



MOST ATTRACTIVE Tim Mays Maria Holmes

SENIORS

Ready to FACE the world!









Seniors









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SENIORS IN THE MIX



Office Aide, Katharine Samford, daydreams about the weekend.

Damien Hargrove takes a peep from his cat nap to see what's really going on.



"Got milk?", is the question everyone is asking Melissa Macklin.





Shauntae Rose Alexander **HOSA**



Nykia Marie Alford



Shannon Shawki Bacon



Crystal Charissa Barnes

FAMOUS LAST LINES "Thank God I'm done." — Shauntae Alexander



Katrina Irene Barnes



Zubaidah Pearl Bassett Gov. School, NHA, AQT.



Geneva Antoinette Blackwell Art Club



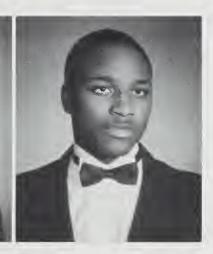
Debra Ann Booth Tennis, Newspaper, Aide



hawnettie Ann Booth Latorya Nichole Brandon



Chastidy Zanetta Bright



Jefferson Amond Bright



Marvin Levon Brown Football



Robert Alvin Brown



Tasha Nicole Brown



David Christopher Bruce Art Club, Beta Club, T.A.G.

"A journey a thousand niles must begin with a single step." - Tasha Brown

"Don't wait until the last minute to do something. Do it now!!" Geneva Blackwell

"Life is like a box of chocolates; you never know what you're gonna get." - Marvin Brown

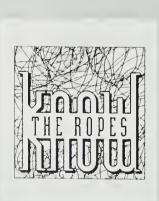
"Strive for the best, never settle for less." Latorya Brandon



Getting the job done. Mr. Brown gets assistance from Brandy Thomas and LaFaythia Wyche in filling out the "paper work".

Bad hair
days and
good looks
PORTRAITS

that will last a lifetime.

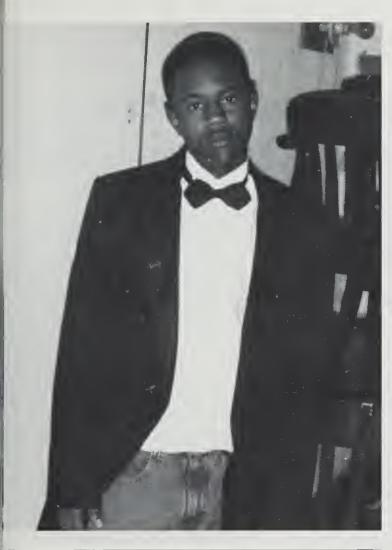




"Lets see, You hook this in here ..."
Cherita Ellis gets Quinton Yates camera ready.

"Final touches"
Debra Booth makes Antonio Cabiness flawless.





Ralph Lauren meets Hugo Boss. Jimmy Macklin is a portrait of contradictions.

Sit still, move your leg, look right here and smile.
The photographer gets Laine Simms ready to take her portrait.



Steady Hands. While waiting to take her protrait, Chasdity Bright touches up her make-up.



"Behind" the scene.
Jennifer Holloway gives the "back view." Are those clothes pins??



Nakia Yolanda Bruce Cheerleader, FBLA, Yearbook



Maria Ann Caballero



Antonio Thomas Cabiness



Joan Gail Callis Drama, AQT, NHS



Karen Alicia Capps FHA, HOSA



Shawn Steven Clarke



Yolanda Evette Clary HOSA, Yearbook



Desmond Marquis Cleaton



Genese Reneé Coleman Homecoming Princess, Yearbook



Adam Harrison Crane Baseball



Anthony Jerome Crenshaw



Darryl Sylvester Davis Band, Tennis, FBLA

FAMOUS LAST LINES

"A hard today leads to an easy tomorrow." — Nakia Bruce

CLASS OF '98



Library Aide Kenyatta Rook takes time out from her busy schedule to say "cheese".

Step by step is how Maria Holmes is taking it as she leaves the cafe-





Farandus Cochise Davis Band



Robin Chenelle Davis FHA, HOSA, FBLA



Will Tayloe Dennis Soccer



Antney Tavoun Dugger NHS; J.V./V. Basketball

"Ain't nothing to it but to do it." - Yolanda Clary

"Hope for the best and prepare for the worst." - Genese Coleman

"Keep your mouth shut and your eyes open." - Robin Davis

"It's automatic." Antney Dugger

GUESS WHO? Everyone's asking Katrina Thompson, "Who did your hair?"

I KNEW IT WOULD BE APPRO-PRIATE.

Nykia Alford gives credit to her stylist, Shona Woodley, for this "creation."







IS SHE HAPPY OR WHAT? A smile as lovely as that of Samantha Vogt's would make any hairstyle look good.



TWO BIRDS OF A FEATHER. Latorya Brandon and Melissa Macklin show that they are "two of a kind" with their almost similar hairstyles.





HOW YOU DO DAT HAIR?

Up Close and Personal

ALL TWISTED UP



Kim Stokes gives the credit for her "do" to her stylist Tawanna Fields. This creation took about 1 hour to construct.



"I wanted to be different," says Erica Singleton, and she spent two hours in Marquette's chair to prove it.



Shona Woodley, who did Nykia's hair, placed her own head in Marquette's hands. Shona, "How long did it take?"



LaSanya Hill's design by Marquette took 2 hours and 45 minutes to construct.



"I saw it in a book and I liked it." Tanisha Singleton took the magazine approach to accomplish her "do".



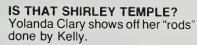


"CREATIONS BY DEBRA" Debra Booth shows us her appreciation for her own creation.

I'LL DO IT MYSELF. This is Laine Simms' motto.







JUST FOR ME Mortici Nicholson takes the credit for her own "hairdo".



RISING TO THE TOP

Student Life 45

SENIORS IN THE MIX



Shona Woodley tries to persuade Denita Powell into letting her do



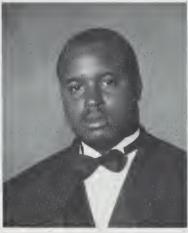
Look Mr. Downs, the answer is right here in the book.

Are you dining out today, Jimmy? Or are you treating everyone for lunch?





Georgia Ann Easter HŎSA, Track, French Club



Antonio Lamont Edmonds



Cherita Lynn Ellis Upward Bound, HOSA, Spanish Club



Stephen Markham Evan

FAMOUS LAST LINES

"The harder the conflict the greater the accomplishment." - Cherita Ellis



Angela Dawn Forbes



Katherine Gray Gibson



Arthur Lewis Goodrich



Tamicia Letitia Graves



Alking Wallace Green V. Football, Track, French Club



Tabitha Monique Green



Nichole LaShelle Gross SCA Pres., Basketball, Track



Jamie Ann Gurkin



Marlon Hollis Hanks, Jr.



Damien Maurice Hargrove Andrea Dosina Hawkins J.V./V. Basketball





Tashena Darvalle Hicks HOSA, Yearbook Staff

"99 cents ain't a dollar." - Nikki Gross

"Doin' it, and doin' it well."

- Alking Green

"Today is the beginning of the rest of life." - Stephen Evans

"You can only live each day once." - Katherine Gibson



Michael Ryan High Soccer



Darius Dondré Hill T.A.G., Yearbook Staff



LaSanya Theresa Hill Cheerleader Captain



Chadwick Wayne Hodges



Jennifer Starr Holloway FBLA, Color Guard



Kenneth Paul Holloway





Maria Shevonne Holmes Gary Wayne Jackson, Jr. Homecoming Queen Track, HOSA, VBB — Mgr.



Kimberly Andrea Jackson Darnell Anderson Jones FBLA, Treas. — Sr. Class Basketball, Football





Demetrice Ann Jarrett HOSA



Jefferson Jamal Jones NHS, Basketball

FAMOUS LAST LINES

"My way; the right way — Gary Jackson

CLASS OF '98



'What's wrong Nikki?" You look a little confused. I didn't know that watching T.V. was so hard.

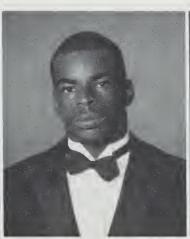
These seniors seem to be taking advantage of lunch to catch up on their homework . . . NOT! The books are just a cover-up for their serious conversation.





Slyvinia Yvette Jones

Michelle Harriet Lee FHA, Newspaper, AQT



Avery Lexter Lewis



Schneria Aleké Lipscomb FBLA, Cheerleader

"Don't let anybody or anything stand in the way of your dreams." - Jennifer Holloway

"Better late than never." Darius Hill

"Don't put off 'til tomorrow what you can do today."

- Schneria Lipscomb

"Never trust a man that says 'trust me.' " - Michelle Lee

SENIORS IN THE MIX



"Hey! What are you looking at"? Erica, caught in the wrong place at the wrong time, gets "the look" from Katrina Thompson.



Angela Perry and Tasha Wilkins think really hard while Kenyatta Rook takes it easy.

"Step By Step" is the only way to make it through the day. Just ask Monica Walker.





Cedric Lemar Macklin Football



James Lenwood Maclin Football



Melissa Reneé Macklin



Kevin Michael Lucas Football, Track

FAMOUS LAST LINES



Timothy Brandon Mays Baseball, NHS, SCA



Cam Ware McAden Baseball



Shannon Reneé McElroy



Demetrice Ann Mitchell



Joseph Dale Moore



Calvin Andrew Morgan Basketball



Roscoe Moseley Jr.



Mortici Tamara Nicholson Volleyball, HOSA



Patrice Laquisha Obey



Holly Maxine Pair NHS, FHA, FBLA



Reggie Lee Pearson



Angela Corrine Perry Spanish Club

"When in doubt look to the hills from which cometh your help." - Mortici Nicholson

"Good things come to those who wait." — Tim Mays

"To be or not to be, that is the question." - Cedric Macklin

"Signifying is worse than stealing." - Starr Bland



Maurice Lamont Peterson FHA, Volleyball



Laura Ann Pond NHS, Softball, Basketball



Denita Rachelle Powell



Michelle Marie Powell



Aaron Shane Queen



Kelvin Darrell Ragsdale Football, Track



Robert Lee Ragsdale



Lewis Lareese Rainey Yearbook



Erin Brooks Randolph SCA, NHS, TAG



Marlene Felesia Rhodes



Kenyatta L. Rook Softball, HOSA



David Harry Runion, II

FAMOUS LAST LINES

"Always shoot for the moon. If you don't hit the moon, at least you'll land among the stars."

— Denita Powell

CLASS OF '98



Larry Walker, Tiffany Whitfield, Robin Davis, David Bruce, and David Runion make their votes count in the SCA election.

Senior Jeanette Thompson is hard at work showing off her computer skills.





Vincent Jerome Sallie



Katharine Hale Samford NHS, Fr. Club, Golf



Crystal Renee Scott Track, Span. Club, FBLA



Kendrick Lee Scott

"Live your life to the fullest and keep it real, man."

- Crystal Scott

"If you can't do it right, don't do it at all." — Lewis Rainey "Do what you feel, and put feeling into what you do."

— Erin Randolph

"A wise woman knows her ignorance; a fool thinks she knows everything."

— Kenyatta Rook









Charlotte Rose Scruggs Courtney Ophelia Seward

Tia Zanetta Seward

Keith Allen Shearon



Rebecca Laine Simms FBLA, Art Club



Eric Wayne Simon Soccer



Kristy Lynn Sims NHS, French Club, Soccer



Erica Denise Singleton FBLA, SC, Yearbook



Lindburg Hubert Singleton



Markale Arntarius Singleton



Tanisha Lashawn Singleton



Lakisha Michelle Smith

FAMOUS LAST LINES

"Good things come to those who wait." Unknown

SENIORS IN THE MIX



Seniors Laura Pond, Erica Singleton, and Maurice Peterson prepare their "soul food" with a little help from Kareem Newell.

Jeanette Thompson may need more than a hand from Antonio Edmonds and Joey Blackwell to pump that iron.





Monica Anne Smith



Jennifer O'Neil Stancil Cheerleading, Yearbook, Track



Meredith Lynn Stempel Track



Damon Guerrero Stith

"If it is yours, why fight over it?" LaSanya Hill

"Take life one step at a time." Kimberly Stokes

"There's no sense making mistakes if you don't learn from them." Jennifer Stancil "If you can't do it right then don't do it at all!" James Maclin

Class of 1998



Schneria Lipscomb is on the cutting edge as she becomes the new Chef Boyardee.

Katherine Gibson and Robin Davis wonder, "why ARE we inside"?



"I know it's in here somewhere." Delano Tucker makes that last desperate search for his Physics homework.





Tarana Michelle Stith







Kimberly Michelle Stokes Antwaine Germode Taylor Brandy Chantale Thomas Yearbook Track Track, JV Cheerleader

Famous Last Lines

"Do some "curls" for the girls." - Joseph Moore



Donna Lynn Thomas NHS, French Club







Derek Lamont Thompson Jeanette Olivia Thompson Katrina Denise Thompson Football Yearbook, Track NHS, Senior Class Vice-President, Yearbook



arry LaQuan Thompson



Michael Lee Townsend



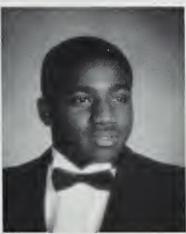
Nicole Monique Trotter



Derrick Julian Trusty



Andrea Laverne Tucker Yearbook



Archie Barnabas Tucker



Ashley Anne Tucker



Delano Hilton Tucker Varsity Basketball, Football

"Say what you mean and mean what you say." — Katrina Thompson

"Love is in the giver, not the gift." -Jeanette Thompson

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm." — Fay Wyche

"Life is doing things not making things." -**Avery Lewis**



Laron Tucker



Samantha Dawn Vogt NHS, TAG, HOSA



James Lindberg Walker



Larry Dale Walker



Monica LaShell Walker Yearbook, Aide



Sakisa Ann Walker



Timothy Jason Walker Basketball



Shantae Elizabeth Wheeler French Club, Track



Lucus Lorenzo White



Tiffany RéNee Whitfield



Tasha Nicole Williams Basketball, TAG, Track



FAMOUS LAST LINES

"Live your life to the fullest because you're not going to be here forever." Shantae Wheeler

SENIORS IN THE MIX



If senior Jimmy Maclin and the other students are ready to learn it, then Mr. Knight is most definitely ready to teach it.

Zubaidah Bassett looks like she's having a fantastic day.





Theresa Jean Wilson



Shona Terrell Woodley



Lafaythia Shorraine Wyche



Quinton Cornelius Yates

"Don't put off for tomorrow what you can do today." Angela Perry "It ain't over til it's over!" Shona Woodley

"The longest journey begins with a single step." Erica Singleton "Love conquers all."

Adrian Jackson

LAST BUT NOT LEAST





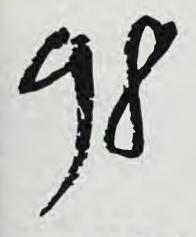






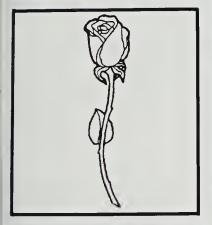


Seniors

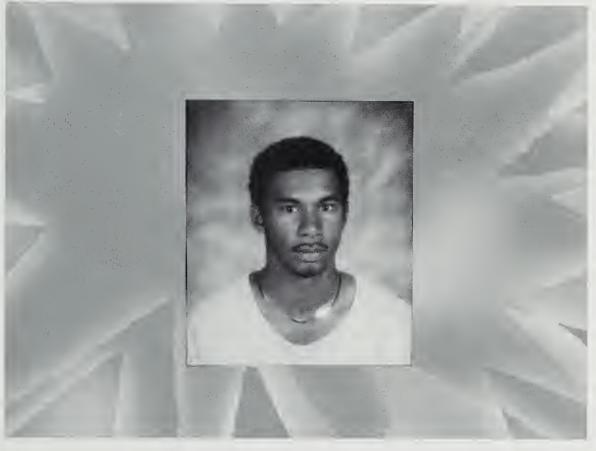


IN MEMORY









Shaun LaNeal Easter

"A Tribute to Broozer"
When we look at your picture
We can hear you say
"Live life to the fullest
We'll be back together someday."

"Live Life To The Fullest" —

You Are Always With Us. Shaun "Broozer" Easter May 26, 1980 — March 15, 1997 We Will Miss You!

Justin Adams Shawanda Adams Eric Adiele Michael Akpan LaBrian Ash Stephanie Ashe

> Briana Badgett April Baker Patrice Barner Darius Bell Joey Blackwell Ishan Boone

Theresa Boothe Lakeisha Bridgeforth Kalesha Briggs Calbert Bright Korey Bright Khary Brookins

> Antoine Brown Chris Brown Philip Burkett Clinton Campbell Donita Carroll



That %\$@*# Alarm

68% set their alarm clock radios and wake up to their favorite tunes.

18% depend on their parents to wake them up in time to get ready for school.

14% wake up every morning without the use of an alarm clock.



This unidentified student is a "lef over" from the previous bell! H really should invest in an alari clock to use in this class!



Brooke Christian Mark Christian Miranda Clarke Chad Clary Eddie Clary Frederick Clary

Wayne Clary Katrina Clayton Kendall Clayton Eli Coleman Stephanie Crane Kevin Crayton

Chris Crenshaw Kenyada Davis Rachelle Davis Melinda Doxtator Tony Easter Nolan Edmonds

Shannon Elder Latanya Evans Michael Evans Talaresha Fields Beth Frazier Aaron Gibson

Brian Gillus Clarence Graves Larry Green April Hammack Brandon Hardy Angela Hargrove

Deron Harris Precious Harrison Tomeka Harrison Kenneth Hayes Jimmy Hicks Sean Hicks

Shemecka Hicks William Hubbard, III Amanda Jackson Bernard Jones, Jr. Damion Jones Jessica Jones

Kelly Jones Kimberly Jones Majiera Jones Melonie Jones Romel Jones Arshylle Kenny Daniel King Travis Lawhorne Nikeca Layton Marcus Lee Amanda Lewis Lamont Lewis Chris Lofton **Tommy Matthews** LaKiesha Mayes Shelly Mayo Valerie Mayo Kathy Mayton Coretta Meredith **Bobby Mangrum** Burrington Moore Cameron Moore Bryon Moseley TriShaun Murphy Jamara Nelson Nathan Patillo Andre Pearson Sandra Pearson Jason Phillips Soni Randolph **Demond Rhodes** Morenika Richards Terri Ruffin Lynard Sallie Kelly Sasser Montelli Scott Tinisha Scott Aria Simmons

Corey Singleton Thomas Singleton Audrey Small Charles Smith



Dwayne Smith Robert Spruill Chad Steed Dana Stevens Rozell Stith Vincent Stith

Wesley Stith Sherrita Summiel Daniel Tanner Andre Taylor Azandre Taylor Wayne Taylor

Melissa Thomas Latoya Thompson Tiffany Thompson Don Threatt James Towns Jonathan Trusty

Jermaine Tucker Felicia Walker Nina Walker Shawanda Walker John Walton Keith White

Kelvin White Lucas White Mandell White Chad Whitlow Greg Willard Lashonda Williams

Timothy Wilson Paul Winstead Nedura Wyche Lashonda Yates Micah Young

What do you look for or at first in the opposite sex?



"I look at his eyes first, then his outside appearance, his attitude towards women, and then his personality."



"First her face and her appearance, then her reputation, and personality." Joseph Green

Sophomores

Lena Archie Dewitt Avent Jeremy Baird JeJuan Bland Kevin Bottoms Brandy Boyd George Boyd

Crystal Bright Jennifer Bright Jake Browder Damond Brown Sylvester Brown Calvin Bruce Crystal Burton

Tenere Callis Shawntay Campbell Rashida Carroll Tamika Carter Kyla Coleman LeFonta Coleman Kevin Craig

> Dondi Crockett Katrina Davis Kendall Davis John Dennis Cara Drumgole Kelly Drummond George Easter

Rudolph Easter Melissa Edmonds Angela Edmond Crystal Elder Crystal Evans Cynthia Evans Jermaine Fields

> Kelly Finch Brian Frazier Kelly Garnes Jason Funk Mark Gelinas Scott Gordon Joseph Grant

Angela Green Joseph Green Joshua Green Holly Grizzard Antoine Hanks Antonio Hargrove Shanelle Harns

Jennifer Harrison Larry Harrup Chanel Hawkins Diana Henry Melissa Hill Ken Hodges Enca Houchens



Sophomores



Adam Howerton Melissa Howerton Marcus Hubbard John Jackson Brandon Jones Danielle Jones Jamel Jones Jermaine Jones

Lauren Jones Tamekia Jones Allen Kidd April King Cameron Leemon Tate Leemon Alfred Lewis Lavisha Manning

Adrian Marrow Andre' Marrow Victor Mason Nicole Mayo Darryl McCain Shawn McCain Monique Murphy-McCain Robert McPhaul

Shara Miller Shawn Moore Candace Murphy Kerry Neal Stephanie Neal Kareem Newell Chianti Palmer Kimberly Parham





NO TIME, CAN'T TALK, GOTTA GO!! Angela Green and Marcus Hubbard, waste no time going to their next class.

READY, SET, GO. These folks, led by sophomores April Singleton, Latorya Peterson, and Nicole Mayo are anxious to begin the day.

= class of 2000 = =

FACING THE FIRST DAY New schedules, new teachers, a whole new way of life. Shanell Harris, Nicole Williams, and Kimberly Parham meet the challenge head-on.

FOOD FOR THE MIND Lakeisha Rainey enjoys her breakfast while getting "up to the minute" news with Channel One.





Jeremiah Perry LaToya Peterson Georgette Powell Jeff Previtire Dreamer Pullen Mary Puryear Lakeisha Rainey Shelandice Rainey

Natarsh Rawlings Lloyd Reed Cornelius Rhodes Robert Rice Thomas Sain Meredith Sapienzo Janelle Seward Joe Seward

Nicole Seward Shatima Seward Ryhima Simmons Shanika Simmons April Singleton Antonio Smith Bob Smith Trevor Stevens

Rena Stewart Howard Stith Shemeica Stith Roxanne Sykes Justin Tanner Patrick Tanner Michael Thompson Kimberly Trotter



class of 2000















John Tucker Katrina Turner Leah Turner Justin Tyler Jenna Walker Terence Walker Lakesha Walton

Jennifer Watson John Weidman Dontay Williams Nicole Williams Rashonda Williams Rosemary Wilson Shakir Winston

Ryan Wooten Titus Wyche Deborah Yates Alfonso Young







What is the first thing you look for in the opposite sex?



When I first see a man, I notice how sexy he is. That's what catches my eye. — Brandy Boyd



I look for a pretty smile and a good personality. Leah Turner

OO MUCH OF A GOOD THING

Never had it so good!

HEY-Y-Y!

Kathy Mayton and Jennifer King are victims of a sneak attack. We gotcha.

OPEN WIDE

Angela Hawthorne and Donna Stevens show what food looks like before it goes down.





Speak out



Lakeysha **Bridgeforth**

"When it comes down to good food, their fried chicken is the best."



Philip Burkett

"On a scale of 1-10, I give the cafeteria food a 5."



Jamie Jones

"In my opinion the chicken strips are the best."

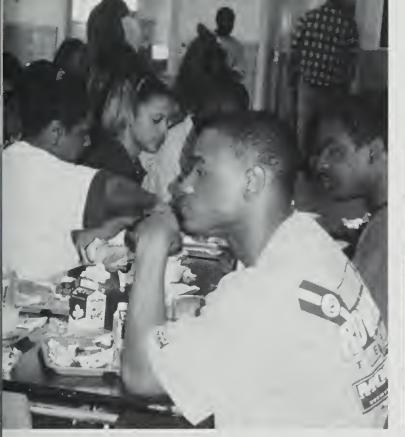


Justin Adams

"My dream lunch consists of steak, baked potato, salad, and peach cobbler for dessert."

70 Student Life

CAFETERIA



IT'S HARD TO WORK! Isaiah "Zeke" Ramirez concentrates hard on what to eat first.

SMILE Dontay Williams and Brian Banks put the finishing touches on today's lunch.





WHERE'S THE BEEF? Chanelle Hawkins and Latoya Peterson look for the whole beef pattie.



A TOAST B.J. Moore leads the Bulldogs in a toast before the big game at Bruton.



THREE FRIENDS Melissa Thomas, Christine Forbes, and Miranda Clarke share more than food — they share friendship.



DO WHAT, SAY HUH? Denita Powell tries to figure out exactly WHAT that was. Whatever it was, it was tasty!

Participating in Special Olympics was always a high point of the school year for Mr. Coleman. He seemed to have as much fun as the children.





EXPRESSIONS:

Mr. Coleman always had a sense of humor. Students would ask him to go to the snack machine for them. He'd reply, "starve"!

When he let students leave the room during

class, he'd always remind them, "Don't get the teacher in trouble"!

Whenever teachers complained about their jobs, he'd always reply, "It beats cutting pulpwood for a living".



Tommy Coleman gave 17 years dedicated service as a Special E teacher at BSHS. He was a ro model, counselor and dedicate educator to the students whared his classes. He will t greatly missed at BSHS." — Jer Burke, Principal

First a student, then a teacher, he was a part of the BSHS family for over 20 years.

Farewell Mr. Coleman

December 10, 1997

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS Tommy Dale Coleman began seventeen years of dedicated service in the unswick County Public School System as a special education teacher in September 1980;

WHEREAS his desire to become a better facilitator of learning led him to pursue a Master Education Degree in areas of Special Education; AND

WHEREAS his love for students led him to work in many capacities involving students with ecial needs, to hold positions on the local, regional and State level with the Special Olympics for any years; AND

WHEREAS his superb ability as a role model, a counselor, a dedicated educator who cognized the importance of educating the whole child, led him to be selected for many leadership les; AND

WHEREAS his dedication led him to persuade his students as well as other students in the hool to strive for excellence; AND

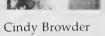
WHEREAS he was not only a role model for students, but also for other young men who 'ere hired to teach in the school system;

E IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the administrators, faculty, staff and student body share ith the Coleman family and the hundreds of students whose lives he influenced in the loss of Tommy ale Coleman. His life has touched and enriched our lives for the past seventeen years.











Muriel Artis



Amy Barmoy



Mike Barmoy



Tony Barnes



Mike Bollinger





Tracey Burchett



Earl Byrd



Tommy Coleman



Gary Crane



Kitty Daniel



Georgia Davis



Shawn Dunn



Pam Ellis



Pat Franklin



Juliana Freeman



Richard George



Judy Gibson



Hollis Graves



Elizabeth Green



Deborah Hammack



Tammy Harris



David Harrison



Pam Hayspell



Nancy Hicks



Rebecca Jones



Regina Jones



Tommy Leemon



Ellen McGeachy

Faculty

Face To Face With . . .

FACULTY AND STAFF



Barbara H. Evans Asst. Principal



R. Gerald Burke Principal



Donnie Bain Clary Asst. Principal



Sharon Propst



Freddie Reekes



Gloria Roberts



Mary Smith



Pam Thomas



Evelyn Thompson



Aichelle Ulmer-Parker



Eula Washington



Deborah Wesson



Myra Winfield



William Wynn

Not Pictured:
Kim Baugh
Dan Downs
Sandra Durham
Juanita Gordon
Barbara Knight
Bernard Knight
Barbara Parrish
Mike Raney
Denise Short
Bev Shearon
James Staten
Sophronia Wilson
Stephanie Wilson

Faculty

Sports











Face-Off









The Bulldogs go head to head with Motoaca at the fifty yard line.



Front Row left to right: Titus Wyche, George Easter, Bernard Jones, Jr., George Boyd, Damon Brown, JeJuan Bland, Cedric Macklin, Alking Green, Kelvin Ragsdale; 2nd Row: Mgr. Timothy Akpan, Jonathan Trusty, Orlando Walker, Emmanuel Rivers, Bryant Harrison, Marvin Brown, Jimmy Hicks, Chris Lofton, Emmanual Akpan; 3rd Row: Damion Jones, Clint Campbell, Jermaine Tucker, Romel Jones, Demond Rhodes, Derek Thompson, Chris Crenshaw, Dontay Williams, Lamont Lewis; 4th Row: Asst. Coach Don Myers, Darnell Jones, Anthony Vaughan, Isaiah Ramirez, Wesley Stith, Asst. Coaches Leon Wall, William Taylor.



TAKE FIVE "G.G." Vaughan and Chris Lofton take a breather from 3rd Quarter action.

EMOTIONAL ROLLER COASTER Emotions run high as Emmanuel Rivers and Asst. Coach Leon Wall cheer the Bulldogs on in spite of yet another devastating loss.



TIRED AND FRUSTRATED
The faces of Anthony Vaughan,
Clint Campbell, Damion Jones,
and Darnell Jones reflect their feelings about the heartbreaking season. Cheer up. There's always
next year.



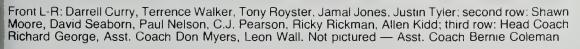


HATS-OFF TO THE BULLDOGS Romel Jones, Michael Akpan, Jermaine Tucker, Clint Campbell and Derek Thompson join the Fighting Bulldogs in a pre-game, hats-off salute as Justin Jones, a Bulldog fan, looks on.

THEY REALLY PRACTICED

he Varsity and JV squads practiced 3 hours each day during the pre-season. Most nights it was dark when they left the practice field - hot and worn-out. Practice didn't make perfect for the Varsity Bulldogs as they endured defeat after defeat. The JV squad rallied to win 3 games during their season, one against Greensville and two against Bluestone. But like the legendary Phoenix, the Varsity Football Squad will rise from the ashes of the 1998 season to soar again.







Stretching the limits



For the Record

Biggest Win Prince Edward

Tallest Player LaFaythia Wyche — 6'1

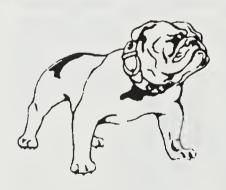
Shortest Player Sherrita Summiel — 5'3

Most Points in a Season Shemecka Hicks 200+

> Wins Losses 16 5

NO-O-O-O! Tinisha Scott is number 25's worst nightmare as she stretches the limit & takes it to the hoop. The 1998 Lady Bulldogs went beyond the limits to hold on to their recordsetting winning streak.







STRETCH! Shemecka Hicks stretches way up over Lady Eagle #13 to make the basket.

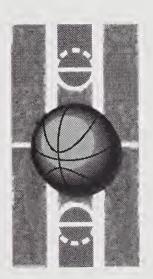






Prince Edward defenders try to stop LaFaythia Wyche as she goes up for the final 2 points.







197-98 GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM ont row L-R: Tasha Wilkins, Nichole Gross, Tinisha Scott, LaFaythia Wyche, Laura Pond; Back row L-R: sistant Coach Deborah Dawson, Manager Sandra Pearson, Shemecka Hicks, Kimberly Trotter, Santrice ardy, Tiffany Taylor, Jenna Walker, Keytia Curry, Aletha Pargo, Sherrita Summiel, Melissa Hill, Coach Mike armoy.

Sports

LaSanya Hill, the only senior on the squad, will say good-bye to the rest of the "girls" in June as she moves on to the "BIG GAME" — Life. See Ya, 'Sanya!!!

Bottom: L-R: Shanell Harris, Senquisha Garnes, Middle: Myesha Garnes, Danine Hill, Shaquira Winston. Top: Shaneka Simmons, Kristen Alford, Nicole Williams, Danielle Jones.





The cheering squad began practice in the sweltering August heat the same week as the football team. That's real dedication!

Unior Varsity Cheering Squad — 1998

Spirited, Smooth, Cool, ALL That!!!!!

arsity Cheering Squad — 1998





1998 Varsity Cheering Squad L-R: Lashonda Yates, Angela Edmond, Arshylle Kenny, Amanda Jackson, LaKeisha Mays, Jeannelle Seward, Terri Ruffin, LaSanya Hill, Captain. Not pictured: Kelly Sasser

Sports

OPTICAL ILLUSION
B.J. goes up for two, but not when
you think. He was dead on targe



LET'S GET IT TOGETHER Coach Reekes talks strategy with these players.

1998 BULLDOGS

VARSITY



1998 VARSITY SQUAD Front Row (L-R) Darnell Jones, B.J. Moore, Calvin Morgan. Second Row: Justin Tyler, Travís Lawhorne, Antney Dugger, Jermaine Tucker. Third Row: Coach Freddie Reekes, Keith White, Demon Rhodes, Delano Tucker, Donta Williams, Daríus Hargrove, Damíen Hargrove, Asst. Coach Mike Barmoy.

J.V.

Teams	US	THEM
HIGHLAND SPRINGS	70	58
LUNENBURG	81	47
SUSSEX	74	65
PRINCE EDWARD	50	42
SUSSEX	68	60
BLUESTONE	71	57
GREENSVILLE	47	30
MATOACA	49	47
LUNENBURG	75	60
PARK VIEW	75	57
NOTTOWAY	75	61
PRINCE EDWARD	83	55
NOTTOWAY	69	64
BLUESTONE	73	33
GREENSVILLE	76	60
MATOACA	78	49
PARK VIEW	80	65



1998 J.V. SQUAD Front Row (L-R) Terrance Smith, James Jones, Keysan Simms, Robert Crayton, Joey Grant, George Easter. Back Row: Coach Mike Barmoy, Clarence Kelly, Edward Stith, Buck Walker, Alfred Lewis, JeJuan Bland, Sylvester Brown, Embra Parham, Titus Wyche.





COME TO PAPA!

Damien Hargrove, every musc tense, waits for contact with the ball before putting it up for "two"



SENIORS IN THE HOUSE Antney "DUG" Dugger takes it to the "hole" while Damien Hargrove waits to get his "paws" on the rebound.

IN YOUR FACE Calvin Morgan's fierce expression matches his skill on the boards — FIERCE!



B.J. WITH A CROSSOVER Taking the "rock" down the court with a vengeance, B.J. Moore always made it look good.







HEADS UP JUSTIN! Justin Tyler is just seconds away from receiving Antney's pass and putting it in from "downtown".

MEDITATE ON THIS
If you know Coach Reekes like we know Coach Reekes, that's probably not what he's saying to the team!



THE WIND-UP

Leah Turner fires the first pitch down to home plate at softball practice.

BATTER UP

Kenyatta Rook helps the catcher suit up as Shemecka Hicks and her teammates wait for their turn at bat.







1997-98 Golf Team

Jake Browder, Aaron Gibson, Andrew Weidman, Cameron Moore, Phillip Burkett, Katharine Samford, Joey Lopresti, Jay Burke, Coach.

IS THAT A GOOD FIT?

Coach Francis Lewis checks out the face mask of catcher, Tiffany Callis. Kenyatta Rook adjusts her knee guards.



MORE SPORTS



1998 Volleyball Team

Shara Miller — Mgr., Crystal Elder, Crystal Scott, Juanita Jackson, Katharine Samford, Mortici Nicholson, Nikki Gross, Tate Leemon, Sandra Pearson, Valerie Mayo, Juliana Freeman, Coach.



1998 Boys Track Team

Front: L-R Kelvin Ragsdale, Emanuel Rivers, JeJuan Bland, Kevin Lucas, Justin Tyler, Jimmy Maclin, Andre' Marrow. 2nd Row: Alking Green, George Easter, Jermaine Tucker, Delano Tucker, Rudolph Easter. 3rd Row: Archie Tucker, George Boyd, Lamont Lewis, Shawn Moore, Sean Hicks. 4th Row: Coach Leon Wall, Ben Frazier, Brian Frazier, Johnny Phillips.



1998 Girls Track Team

Front Row L-R Tasha Wilkins, Tia Curry, Jeanelle Seward, Shatima Seward, Angela Edmond, Shanelle Harris. 2nd Row: LaShonda Yates, Nikki Gross, Tanisha Scott, Kelly Sasser, Rashell Dugger. 3rd Row: Coach Jim Shiels, Beth Frazier, Crystal Elder, Lakisha Rainey, Stephanie Ashe, Latanya Evans, Tiffany Taylor.



Flash flooding, wet tracks, rainouts, mud, missing uniforms, too few girls to field a JV Softball team.
These were just SOME of the obstacles to the start
of the Spring Sports Season.

1998 VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM



South Hill Enterprise Photo

ront, L-R: Chad Steed, Joey Lopresti, Brad Morefield, Justin Painter. 2nd Row: Keith Shearon, Timothy Mays, Chad Clary, Gary Jackson, Joey Grant, Adam Crane. Back Row: Coach Tuffy Leemon, Robert Rice, Darius Bell, Kenneth Holloway, Buck Walker, Asst. Coach Gary Crane.



ottom L-R: Kyle Jackson, Harrison Vaughan, Allen Kidd, 2nd Row: Coach Gary Crane, Brad forefield, Paul Nelson, Jr. 3rd Row: Greg Gauldin, David Seaborn, Ricky Rickman, Scott pivey, Ken Graves



Jeff's Moves Jeff Jones anticipates a lob during the 1st tennis team practice.

Sports

With the elimination of morning break, the only free time students had to catch up on the latest news was the 7 minutes between classes.

NOT A MOMENT TO SPARE









Student Life











Student Life

Lunch...Time for R&R.



Oh, this is fun.



Take a load off.



Now this is relaxing!



What to do next?



Just chill'n.



Uhh, my aching head.

What do you do on your lunch break?

Mark Gelinas —
"surf the internet."
Crystal Burton —
"With my boo of course."
Tommy Matthews —
"I eat."
LaFonta Coleman —
"Chill in the gym."
Lavisha Manning —
"Stuff my face."
Kim Stokes —
"Nothing."
Tamika Carter —
"Walk the halls."



He did what?

LaSanya Hill and Cherita Ellis take time out for conversation.



Antney Dugger gives the camera a funny look while he tries to take it easy.







Whatcha say?

Eddie Clary looks up from his magazine to see what Joseph Moore & Kenneth Hollway are saying.

Say Cheese!

Donna Thomas finds time to smile for the camera during her break.





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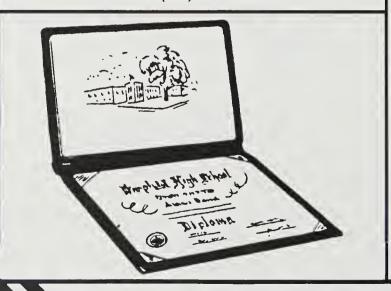
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WITH... Those Posing Bulldogs

When the yearbook staff goes out to take pictures we have only one rule . . . DON'T POSE!!!! But no matter how insistent we are, we still get our share of "posers". These are just a few.







Closing

It's Now or Never

At the Present Time

From the echo of the first bell of the year on September 2, until the final cheer on graduation night, June 12, we waited and we knew that our time was coming. A new schedule, new requirements, a semi-new building all brought us face to face with our time.

"Graduation is one of the most important times in our lives. I just want to get on with the rest of my life . . . "

— Jennifer Stanci senio



FRIENDS FOREVER

"We've been friends almost since we were babies." — Katharine Samford on her lifelong friendship with Adam Crane, both of whom will share one more experience — graduation.





















By March, many

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seniors come "face to

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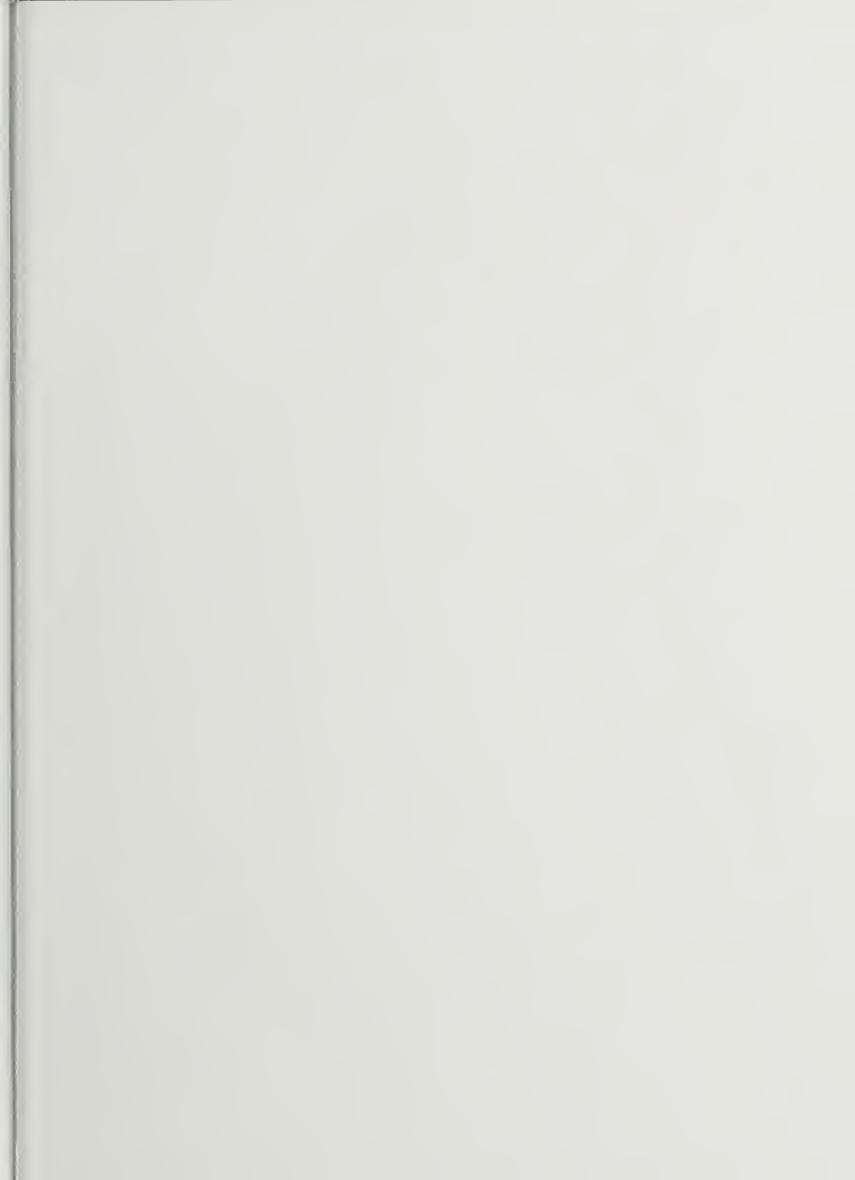
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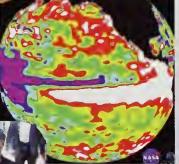
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National







Faces



World

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A 15-day school strike in Ontario, Canada, affects 2.1 million students. Late in October, 128,000 teachers walk out to protest a controversial bill that would alter educational funding and centralize government control of education.

Jan 1, 2000

Governments and businesses

worldwide race to remedy the

"Year 2000" problem. Unless

reprogrammed to recognize dates

in the new century the world faces

the threat of catastrophic failure

in critical areas like banking, air safety, public utilities and defense.

key computer systems are

Asian economic turmoil triggers global unrest. In October, Hong Kong's stock market crashes. Asian countries receive billions in bailout dollars from the International Monetary Fund.



Hong Kong reverts to China at 12:01 a.m., July 1, after 156 years of British colonial rule. China says Hong Kong will continue its Western way of life and free-market economy.



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Savino, Sipa





Powerful earthquakes in central ltaly kill 11 people and damage art treasures, including centuries-old frescoes by Italian Renaissance painters, in the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.



The remains of Ernesto "Che" Guevara, martyred Marxist revolutionary, are laid to rest in Cuba in October, 30 years after his execution in Bolivia, where his bones recently had been found.



After 32 years of autocratic rule, President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire is deposed in May 1997 and later dies in exile. His successor, Laurent Kabila, changes Zaire's name to Democratic Republic of the Congo.

flash

Change sweeps Great Britain as Labor Party leader Tony Blair's landslide election in May 1997 ousts the Conservatives and makes Blair, at 44, Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.

Hurricane Pauline slams into Mexico's Pacific coast in October, causing flash floods, landslides and at least 200 fatalities. The resort city of Acapulco is heavily damaged.



At the base of the Eiffel Tower in Paris 8,000 pumpkins are displayed, and French children participate in an American-style Halloween celebration.

President Jiang Zemin of China meets for summit talks with President Bill Clinton in October, the first visit in 12 years of a Chinese leader to the U.S. During his stay, demonstrators protest China's treatment of Tibet.



Reuters/Archive Photo:



The death of "the people's princess" generates an emotional outpouring of love and grief, evidenced by floral tributes heaped at Diana's Kensington Palace home.

Diana, Princess of Wales, one of the world's most famous and admired women, dies at 36 in a violent car crash in Paris on August 31.

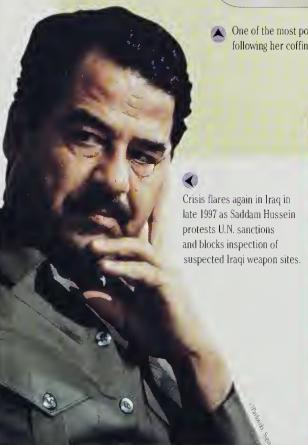


At the funeral, Elton John performs "Candle in the Wind 1997," rewritten in tribute to Diana. The recording quickly sells more than 35 million copies, becoming the best-selling single of all time. Sales proceeds benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.



One of the most poignant images of Diana's funeral: her young sons following her coffin into Westminster Abbey.

flash



Floods, drought and mismanagement in North Korea create a severe famine. As many as a million North Koreans die of starvation.

Pope John Paul II visits Communist Cuba in January 1998, the first time a pope has done so. During his five-day visit the pope celebrates public masses and meets privately with President Fidel Castro.



In June, shortly before Diana's death, an auction of 79 of her evening gowns raises \$3.26 million for AIDS and cancer charities. Top price paid for a single gown: \$222,500.



National

Once-mighty Apple Computer is close to failure when arch-rival Bill Gates of Microsoft "rescues" it with a \$150 million bail-out in

August. The event opens a new era of cooperation between formerly fierce competitors.

On July 23 suspected murderer Andrew Cunanan, 27, commits suicide in Miami Beach. Cunanan was the prime suspect in a cross-country killing spree that left five dead, including fashion designer Gianni Versace.





Americans join "Stop the Violence" campaigns nationwide in an attempt to generate awareness of and solutions to the problem of violence in America.



A In April 1997, floods ravage the entire Red River Valley between Minnesota and the Dakotas. Ninety percent of downtown Grand Forks, North Dakota, is under water.



Jonathan Elderfield, Gamma/

Joe Camel is snuffed out as the Federal Trade Commission bans tobacco advertising aimed at minors and institutes sweeping tobacco advertising restrictions.



British nanny Louise Woodward, 19, is convicted in Massachusetts of murdering a child in her care. The judge later reduces the charge to involuntary manslaughter and releases her.



Timothy McVeigh is convicted of murder and conspiracy in June for the April 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City: McVeigh is later sentenced to death.

Theodore Kaczynski admits he is the Unabomber responsible for killing 3 people and injuring 29 others in an 18-year bombing campaign. His January 1998 guilty plea spares Kaczynski the death penalty but condemns him to life in prison with no possibility of release.

UPS workers take to the picket lines in an August strike lasting 15 days. The eventual settlement is seen as a major labor victory.



First Lt. Kelly Flinn accepts a general discharge from the Air Force, avoiding court-martial for lying about an affair and disobeying orders. Flinn had beer the first and only female B-52 pilot in the service.

A rare urban tornado prowls through Miami on May 12, uprooting trees, shattering windows and snapping power lines. Fortunately, the storm inflicts only minor injuries.

Terry Nichols is found guilty of conspiracy and manslaughter in the 1995 Oklahoma City bombing. Nichols is spared a federal death

sentence in January 1998, but still faces Oklahoma state charges.

Arthur Harvey, The Miami Heraid



Attorney General Janet Reno refuses to name an independent prosecutor to investigate Clinton administration fundraising, causing friction with FBI Director Louis Freeh.



Bobbi McCaughey, Carlisle, Iowa, gives birth November 19 to seven babies, the U.S.'s first living septuplets. McCaughey and her husband Kenny now have eight children.



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UFO enthusiasts gather in Roswell, New Mexico, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the alleged UFO crash there in July 1947.



Reuters/Archive Photos



At the Internet/Online Summit in December, Vice President Al Gore announces government initiatives to protect young Internet users from online pornography.



Fast-food giant Burger King is forced to stop serving burgers when supplier Hudson Foods recalls 25 million pounds of hamburger suspected of contamination with *E. coli* bacteria. It is the biggest beef recall in U.S. history.

flash

The all-male Promise Keepers movement inspires praise and controversy for its message of spiritual revival and personal responsibility for men. In October, the group holds a giant rally in Washington, D.C.

Once-secret tape recordings of former presidents Kennedy and Nixon are released publicly. The tapes provide an unvarnished, and sometimes unflattering, glimpse into the two presidents' actions and conversations in the White House.



On October 25, at least 300,000 African-American women gather in Philadelphia for the Million Woman March. Winnie Madikizela-Mandela is one of the speakers.



Science

the viability of the station.

Viewers worldwide see the first-ever high-resolution color pictures of Mars when the Pathfinder spacecraft lands July 4. The lander and its rover, Sojourner, collect and transmit extraordinary data for three months.



For \$8.36 million, Chicago's Field Museum of Natural History buys "Sue," the most complete Tyrannosaurus rex fossil yet discovered. The sale occurs October 4 at Sotheby's in New York.





In September, CAT scans of petrified dinosaur eggs found in China reveal a dinosaur embryo.

> Scottish scientists in February 1997 announce the world's first cloning of an adult mammal. The sheep, named Dolly, fuels controversy over possible misuse of the technology.



drugs to control or prevent

and congestive heart failure.

Research produces medical breakthroughs, including a genetically engineered "bullet" molecule being tested to fight cancer and new Parkinson's disease, osteoporosis



The popular diet regimen fen-phen is pulled off the market in September. The combination of fenfluramine and phentermine is shown to cause heart valve disorders, as is the diet drug Redux, also recalled.

flash

Fuel cells that convert a fuel's energy directly into electricity are being developed for use in cars, making possible an efficient, low-emission car of the future.

The first prescription pill for male-pattern baldness is approved by the Food and Drug Administration in December. The drug Propecia is made by Merck and Company.



Aided by the Hubble Space Telescope, astronomers discover the Pistol Star—the brightest star yet observed in the Milky Way. The Pistol Star is 25,000 light years from Earth.

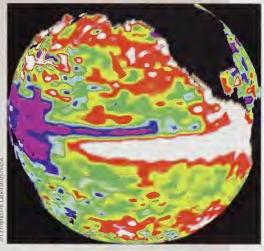
Comet Hale-Bopp captures imaginations worldwide as it streaks past Earth for the first time in 4,200 years—or, since 2203 B.C. Hale-Bopp next returns in 4397.

In December, 159 nations gather in Kyoto, Japan, and negotiate a climate treaty to combat global warming by

reducing greenhouse gases.



On October 13, the British jet car *Thrust SSC* becomes the first vehicle to break the sound barrier on land, traveling 766.6 miles per hour in the Nevada desert.



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El Niño stirs up global weather patterns. Caused by warmer-thannormal water temperatures in the equatorial Pacific, the '97 El Niño is blamed for storms and weather problems worldwide.



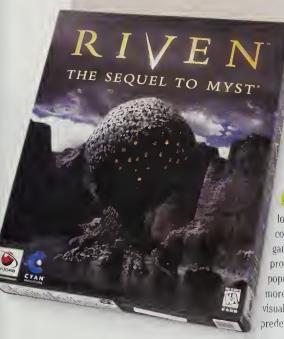
Protesters unsuccessfully attempt to prevent the October launch of NASA's Cassini spacecraft to Saturn, fearing an accident could shower the Earth with the rocket's radioactive plutonium.



The Food and Drug Administration approves a dental laser for treating cavities. Unlike traditional dental drills, the laser in most cases causes virtually no discomfort.



Preimer Laser Systems, Inc.



Riven, the long-awaited computer adventure game sequel to Myst, proves to be just as popular and even more sophisticated visually than its predecessor.

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Hong Kong authorities in December order the slaughter of more than a million chickens in an effort to halt the spread of a bird flu virus that killed six people.

The space shuttle Columbia releases the errant Spartan satellite in November. U.S. astronaut Winston Scott and Takao Doi, the first Japanese astronaut to do a space walk, retrieve the satellite for return to Earth.



French oceanographer and award-winning filmmaker Jacques Cousteau dies in June at 87. His work gained renown through the popular television series

"The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau."

news Science

Lifestyle

Teen People, a savvy monthly magazine for and about teenagers, premieres in February 1998.



Fashion advertising and clothing trends inspire the popularity of the color orange, which replaces neon green as the fad color of the year.



In October, a cyberfashion show at the M.I.T. Media Lab Wearable Symposium features fashions with built-in computer devices and electronic hardware. M.I.T. students designed the high-tech fashions.



Princess Diana tribute merchandise abounds, including a double CD set and a new Beanie Baby named Princess, a royal purple bear adorned with a rose. Profits benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.

Fashion looks to the Far East. The stick-on bindi, a tiny decorative accent worn in the middle of the forehead, is popularized by Gwen Stefani, lead singer of the band

No Doubt.



Nike introduces a new "I Can" advertising campaign on New Year's Day. The company does not plan to abandon its "Just Do It" slogan, introduced in 1985, which will continue to appear on T-shirts and posters.

Diet Scent Patches are introduced in June by Slimline, a British company. Designed to help people diet successfully, the small arm stickers produce an unpleasant odor to discourage the wearer from eating sweets.



This year's look in cosmetics is glimmering, sparkling and colorful. Riding this wave, cosmetics giant Christian Dior introduces Mascara Flash, temporary hair color in a variety of outrageous tints.



Platform shoes, a fashion statement during the disco '70s, make a style comeback in a big way in 1997, inspiring even platform sneakers.



"Two Fat Ladies" becomes the Food Network's hottest new cooking show in the U.S., attracting fans with its unconventional British stars, two overweight, middle-aged women.

The Chevrolet Corvette is named *Motor Trend* magazine's 1998 Car of the Year.

Mattel introduces Share a Smile Becky in May 1997. Seated in a bright pink wheelchair, the doll is marketed as a friend to the traditional Barbie.



A new \$50 bill featuring a larger, off-center portrait of President Ulysses S. Grant is



unveiled in October. Design details make the bill more difficult to forge. AZ 03992777 A

> Mehndi, intricate designs painted on the body with henna dye, is a popular expression of the fashion trend toward Eastern themes and patterns.





Digital "pets" are a 1997 toy craze. These virtual critters keep their owners busy by beeping when they need care or feeding. If ignored, they "die."



and Boggle.



flash

As many as 700 school districts nationwide teach "emotional intelligence," aiming to develop children's values and people skills as well as their minds.

Beepers are a status symbol and a lifestyle must-have for many teens juggling school, jobs and after-school activities. More than 40 million beepers are carried in the U.S., an estimated 25 percent of them by people between the ages of 12 and 24. In some schools, beepers are forbidden as disruptive.



Canada issues a Superhero postage stamp series that includes a 15-cent stamp featuring the colorful, comic-book image of Superman.

Entertainment



> The Lost World, Steven Spielberg's Jwassic Park sequel, breaks summer box-office records everywhere. It earns \$229 million in the U.S. ABC's gritty police drama "NYPD Blue" remains one of the most popular one-hour dramas on television in 1997, capturing four Emmy Awards.



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Gina Milend, Shooting Star





Comedian Chris Farley dies at 33 of a drug overdose on December 18. He starred in NBC's "Saturday Night Live" and movies including *Tommy Boy* and *Beverly Hills Ninja*.

Columbia/Mandalay from the Kobal Collection



Horror films draw teenagers to the box office. I Know What You Did Last Summer, starring Jennifer Love Hewitt and Sarah Michelle Gellar, is one of the year's biggest attractions.



Fox network launches "King of the Hill," an animated show that focuses on the lives of a propane dealer from Texas and his family. The show goes on to become a smash hit.



Scream 2, the chilling hit sequel to Scream, is a wildly successful mix of carnage and comedy starring Neve Campbell, Jerry O'Connell, Tori Spelling, Jada Pinkett and a host of other stars. flash

In its second season, the WB's campy sitcom "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" blossoms into a huge favorite with many viewers.

Jenny McCarthy stars in a new fall NBC comedy "Jenny" that, in January 1998, goes into hiatus only a few months into its first season. McCarthy had been an MTV personality before moving to the network.



Critically acclaimed *Amistad*, directed by Steven Spielberg, tells the story of an 1839 slave ship mutiny. The film culminates years of effort by producer Debbie Allen to bring the story to life.



Titanic is a huge critical and box-office success. The movie event of the year, this \$200 million picture is the most costly in history. After 45 days in the theaters, Titanic had earned \$308 million.



Star Wars captures a new generation of fans when George Lucas re-releases the film trilogy 20 years after the first film was shown. In Washington, D.C., the National Air and Space Museum mounts a huge exhibition of now-historic Star Wars artifacts.



Michael Flatley's pulsating show "Lord of the Dance" fuels the extraordinary popularity of Irish dance. The show tours 15 cities in the U.S. through October.

In the fall, Fox debuts

"Ally McBeal," a comedy/drama starring Calista Flockhart as a young Boston attorney. The show captures a Golden Globe Award in January 1998 for best series/musical or comedy.





Matt Damon stars as an attorney in The Rainmaker, a movie based on the John Grisham novel. Damon's successes also include the film Good Will Hunting.



The Wonderful World of Disney presents its adaptation of "Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella" on ABC, starring **Brandy as Cinderella and Whitney** Houston as the Fairy Godmother.

Tomorrow Never Dies, starring Pierce Brosnan as 007, is a holiday box-office hit and confirms the enduring popularity of James Bond movies.



The 1997 season premiere episode of "ER" is broadcast live and draws 42.7 million viewers for NBC, including those who watch it on a giant screen in Times Square.

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MUSIC



Fiona Apple, 20, one of rock's female superstars, is named MTV's Best New Artist in a Video. Her single "Criminal" soars to the top of the charts.

Chumbawamba's hit single
"Tubthumping" brings long-awaited
success to this British band.
The song becomes popular at
pro sports events, kicking off
games for several teams.



Rap artist the Notorious B.I.G. is killed in a March 1997 drive-by shooting in Los Angeles. He is posthumously awarded MTV's 1997 Best Rap Video Award for "Hypnotize" and is named Spin magazine's Artist of the Year.



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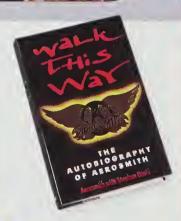
With their hit single
"MMMBop," three young
brothers from Tulsa
become one of the
biggest breakthrough
acts of 1997 as the
band Hanson.



Lilith Fair, an all-female summer rock concert, draws large crowds on its 37-stop tour. Canadian singer-songwriter Sarah McLachlan masterminds the festival and releases a hit album, *Surfacing*.



Country music superstar
Garth Brooks releases Sevens,
his first album in two years.
The album sells 800,000 copies
the first week.



Walk This Way. The Autobiography of Aerosmith chronicles the long career of the band notorious for its excesses in the '70s and '80s. The group's new album Nine Lives is nominated for a 1998 Grammy.

flash

Drummer Bill Berry leaves R.E.M. after 17 years with the popular rock group. R.E.M. plans to continue as a trio.

Kenny G. enters the *Guinness Book* of *World Records* for holding the longest musical note—45 minutes, 47 seconds—on his saxophone.



Smash Mouth popularizes a genre of alternative rock known as neo-ska with its hit single "Walkin' on the Sun and debut album *Fush Yu Mang*.

British pop phenomenon, the Spice Girls, makes millions with mega-hits such as "Wannabe" and sells 14 million albums and 10 million singles.

The album No Way Out by Puff Daddy & the Family goes multiplatinum. Puffy's single "I'll Be Missing You," an elegy to his friend the Notorious B.I.G.,

also tops the charts.



Adam Yauch of the Beastie Boys engineers the second Tibetan Freedom Concert, held in June in New York, offering 27 music acts and a free-Tibet political message.



Third Eye Blind, after several years in San Francisco's underground music scene, goes big time in 1997. Their song "Semi-Charmed Life" is listed as the top-selling modern rock single for 1997 in Billboard magazine.





Sixteen-year-old R&B phenom Jonny Lang opens for the Rolling Stones' fall tour and spends 16 weeks at No. 1 on Billboard's blues chart with his album Lie to Me.

Grammy nominations than any other artist, including one for his album The Day. Edmonds and wife Tracey also produce the film Soul Food in 1997.





At 15, country music sensation LeAnn Rimes sells more than 12.5 million recordings in the U.S. in 1997 and is named Billboard Music Awards Artist of the Year. Her single "How Do I Live" is one of the year's best sellers.



Metallica releases a seventh album, Re-Load, that confirms its position as the premier heavy-metal band in the music world.

Radiohead is Spin magazine's Band of the Year. Critics praise Radiohead's album OK Computer, variously described as haunting, revolting, inscrutable, sturning and gorgeous. The album receives a 1998 Grammy nomination for Rock/Pop Album of the Year.





Quarterback John Elway leads the Denver Broncos to a 31-24 victory over the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl XXXII in San Diego, January 25, 1998. It is Elway's first Super Bowl win in four appearances.

In July, 16-year-old Swiss tennis star Martina Hingis becomes the youngest Wimbledon champion since 1887. Hingis wins three of the four 1997 Grand Slam events.



The Florida Marlins are baseball's 1997 World Series champs and the first team ever to win the Series without winning its league pennant. The Marlins defeat the Cleveland Indians in seven games.





Mike Tyson bites off part of Evander Holyfield's ear and is disqualified in the WBA Heavyweight rematch in June 1997. Tyson is fined nearly \$3 million and his boxing license is revoked.



Tiger Woods, 21, becomes the youngest golfer ever to win the Masters Tournament. His 18-under-par score sets a Masters record. Woods wins 3 other tournaments and sets a PGA Tour earnings record of \$2.1 million for the season.



Pittsburgh Penguins' Mario Lemieux retires in April 1997 after a spectacular comeback from Hodgkin's disease and injury. Lemieux is elected to the Hockey Hall of Fame in September.



In April 1997, the premier issue of Sports Illustrated Women hits the newsstands. The magazine reflects the explosive growth of female participation in sports.

Swedish golfing phenomenon Annika Sorenstam, 26, tops the LPGA earnings list in 1997 with a record \$1,236,789.

Professional sports salaries keep skyrocketing. One of the most publicized of 1997 is Kevin Garnett's \$126 million contract to play basketball for the Minnesota Timberwolves.



Charles Woodson, Michigan's versatile junior cornerback, becomes the first primarily defensive player to win the Heisman Trophy, awarded in Decembe Jeff Gordon, at 26, wins the 1997 NASCAR Winston Cup, his second Winston Cup point title in three years. Gordon's 1997 points total 4,710.



Nagano, Japan, hosts the 1998
Winter Olympic Games during
February. Three new medal
sports make their Olympic debut:
curling, snowboarding and
women's ice hockey.



The Chicago Bulls beat the Utah Jazz in June 1997 for their fifth NBA championship in seven years. Michael Jordan is chosen Finals MVP a record fifth time.

When the college football season ends, two teams share the national championship. Michigan (12-0) is named No. 1 by the sports writers' poll, and Nebraska (13-0) by the coaches' poll.



Detroit Red Wings captain Steve Yzerman powers his team to the 1997 Stanley Cup championship, its first in 42 years, by sweeping the Philadelphia Flyers in four games.



Women officiate in an all-male professional sports league for the first time. The pioneers, Dee Kanter and Violet Palmer, are referees in the NBA.

Mark McGwire, of the St. Louis Cardinals, slams 52 homers in 1996 and 58 in 1997. McGwire becomes only the second player in baseball history with back-to-back, 50-home-run seasons, the other being Babe Ruth.



Dean Smith, winningest coach in college basketball history, retires in October after 36 seasons at North Carolina. Sports Illustrated names him 1997 Sportsman of the Year.







Chelsea Clinton begins her freshman year at Stanford University in Palo Alto, California.

Despite security measures, she reportedly will lead as normal a college life as possible.

Miss Illinois, Katherine Shindle, is crowned Miss America 1998. For the first time in its 77-year history the pageant allows contestants to wear two-piece swimsuits in competition.







American Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines are awarded the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize in October. The U.S. and China refuse to sign an international treaty that would ban land mines.



Ted Turner, vice chairman of the Time Warner media empire, pledges \$1 billion to United Nations programs. It is the largest single gift in philanthropic history.



Beloved actor Jimmy Stewart dies in July at 89. Stewart's enduring nice-guy popularity is exemplified by It's a Wonderful Life, his 1946 movie that is now an American cultural icon.



Roman Catholic nun Mother Teresa of Calcutta dies September 5 at the age of 87. Revered for a lifetime of helping the poorest of the poor, her many honors include the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize.



For the first time, a computer beats a world chess champion when IBM's Deep Blue beats Russian Garry Kasparov in a

six-game match in May 1997.

Former leader of the Soviet Union Mikhail Gorbachev films a TV commercial for Pizza Hut. He reportedly earns \$1 million for the appearance, money he plans to use to benefit his Gorbachev Foundation.

Singer John Denver dies in October at 53 when the experimental plane he is piloting crashes into California's Monterey Bay.



Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, appears in ads as a spokesperson for Weight Watchers International. She is the former wife of England's Prince Andrew.







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